

HOUSE BILL 1965
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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-21-104, relative to billboard regulation and control.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-21-104, is amended in subsection (b) by deleting the subsection in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(b) Permits and tags shall not be issued until applications therefor are made in accordance with and on forms provided by the commissioner and accompanied by payment of a fee of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) for each permit and tag requested. This fee shall represent payment for the required tag and for the first annual permit and will not be subject to return upon rejection of any application.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-21-104, is further amended in subsection (c) by deleting the subsection in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(c) All tags issued shall be permanent; however, permits shall be renewed annually between November 1 and December 31, and the commissioner shall charge the sum of forty dollars (\$40.00) for 2006, fifty dollars (\$50.00) for 2007, sixty dollars (\$60.00) for 2008, and seventy dollars (\$70.00) for 2009, for annual renewal of each permit.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-21-104, is further amended in subsection (e) by deleting the subsection in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(e) For each replacement tag issued, the commissioner shall deliver to the applicant a serially numbered permit tag. The cost of this replacement tag will be twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), payable at the time of request.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-21-104, is further amended in subsection (f) by deleting the language "two dollar (\$2.00)" and by substituting instead the language "ten dollar (\$10.00)".

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.